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Title: MAGNETIC HEAD SLIDER WITH RESISTANCE TO DEBRIS ACCUMULATION

Prior Group Art Unit: 2652

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Box Patent Application

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This is a Divisional application of pending prior U.S. Application Serial No. 09/491,284, filed January 26, 2000, which is a continuation application of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/161,234, filed December 2, 1993, which is a continuation-in-part application of U.S. Application Serial No. 07/992,270, filed December 14, 1992 (abandoned). The entire disclosure of the '270 application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

Enclosed for filing with the above-identified utility patent application, please find the following:

1. ☒ Copy of the entire '270 application as originally filed, consisting of
 - Specification (12 pages)
 - Claims (2 pages)
 - Abstract (1 page)
 - Drawings (3 sheets) (formal)
2. ☒ Copy of Declaration from the '270 application
3. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
4. ☐ Assignment Papers (*cover sheet & document(s)*)
5. ☐ Power of Attorney
6. ☐ Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Establishing Right of Assignee to Take Action
7. ☐ Terminal Disclaimer
8. ☐ Submission of Proposed Drawing Amendment for Approval by Examiner
9. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS/PTO-1449)
10. ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
11. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
12. ☒ Return Postcard (MPEP 503) (*should be specifically itemized*)
13. ☐ Small Entity Statement

FEE CALCULATION:

	(COL. 1) NO. FILED			(COL. 2) NO. EXTRA		LARGE ENTITY	
						RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE:							\$740
TOTAL CLAIMS:	65	-	20	45		X \$18 =	\$810
INDEP. CLAIMS:	3	-	3	0		X \$84 =	\$0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS: 0						+\$280 =	\$0
TOTAL							\$1550

OTHER INFORMATION:

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3. [X] The Power of Attorney appears in the '234 application.
4. [X] The '270, '234 and '284 applications are assigned to Maxtor Corporation.

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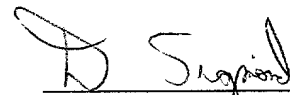
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